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FOR LABOR OFFICERS FROM MCHALE

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ELAB, AS

SUBJECT: DEATH OF DON THOMSON, AUSTRALIAN AND
INTERNATIONAL TRADE UNION LEADER.

1. DON THOMSON, HIS WIFE DAPHNE, AND FOUR OTHER
PASSENGERS, WERE KILLED IN AIR CRASH APRIL 2. THOMSON
WAS GENERAL SECRETARY OF AUSTRALIAN PROFESSIONAL
MUSICIANS' UNION, AND WAS ELECTED REGIONAL SECRETARY
OF INTERNATIONAL SECRETARIAT OF ENTERTAINMENT TRADE
UNIONS (ISETU) AT FOUNDING CONFERENCE IN MELBOURNE,
NOVEMBER 1973.

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2. THOMSON WAS SCHEDULED TO LEAVE APRIL 11 FOR

ISETU CONFERENCE IN MEXICO.

3 ADDRESSEE LABOR OFFICERS ARE ASKED TO INFORM
IATSE AFFILIATES AT POST. DEPARTMENT ASKED TO INFORM
JOHN C. HALL OF IATSE AND MORRIS PALADINO OF AFFLI.
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